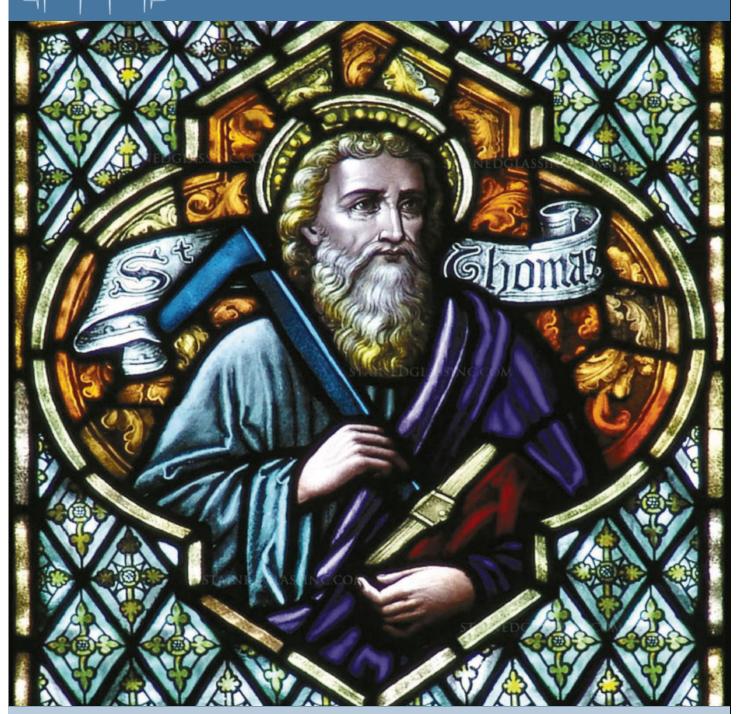
St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church

July 3, 2022—14th Sunday in Ordinary Time 451 W. Terra Cotta Ave., Crystal Lake, IL 60014 815-455-5400/www.stthomascl.church



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From the Pastor's Desk...



The Feast Day of St. Thomas the Apostle falls on July 3, so we decided to celebrate our 100th Anniversary Mass this weekend, at our 4:30 pm Mass on July 2. We welcome Bishop David Malloy, Monsignor Dan Hermes, Fr. Geoff Wirth, Fr. Dave Beauvais, Fr. Mark Kries and possibly other priests who have served our parish in past years. Our most recent past pastor, Fr. Jack Evans, was unable to secure coverage to get away from his parish in Dixon, IL, but he sends his congratulations, prayers and best wishes to all.

St. Thomas the Apostle had a status as a mission dating back to 1846 in a place known as North Barrens, about 4 miles west of Crystal Lake along Rte. 176. Priests residing in other towns served Crystal Lake in those days. In 1913, Crystal Lake became an

independent parish with Fr. Joseph M. Lonergan serving as pastor, but he resided in Barrington. Fr. Edwin McCormick became the first sitting pastor on May 2, 1922. The Fr. McCormick years saw the building of the "red brick campus", which consisted of the Rectory on Pierson Street (now the front half of the Parish Offices), the Pierson Street Church and the Lake Street School. There was also a convent building across the street from the Pierson Street Church, which has since been taken down. At the time of his death, Fr. McCormick had served this area for 41 years, and he was mourned by the entire town, Catholics and non-Catholics alike.

Fr. Burwell E. Beddoes was his successor, and he oversaw a massive building project for the growing parish. The King Street School, the Washington Street Rectory and the former red brick rectory was expanded to become the new Convent (now our Parish Offices). He was not destined to have a long time enjoying the fruits of his labors, as he died on June 9, 1962. Fr. Raymond Eipers followed Fr. Beddoes for a relatively short term as pastor (1962 to 1964).

In 1964, Fr. Leo Ambre became pastor. During his pastorate, a second campus would emerge with the construction of the Oak Street Church in 1968. The number of Catholics grew substantially during this time period and a second parish was built, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, in 1979. Many priests served under Fr. Ambre, including Fr. Dan Hermes, who would later return as pastor. In March 1980, following Fr. Leo Ambre, St. Thomas welcomed Fr. James McKitrick and Fr. Sam Guagliardo as co-pastors, until Fr. Guagliardo became the sole pastor that October. Fr. Guagliardo served until 1987 when Fr. Geoff Wirth became pastor.

Fr. Wirth's years were marked by much updating of current facilities and an expansion of the both the school and parish spaces. King Street was closed so that the original Lake Street School would be connected to the King Street School, with now one much larger school under one roof. The Oak Street Church saw the addition of the Narthex, Community Room, Offices and Parish Nursery. In 2001, Msgr. Daniel Hermes became pastor and continued to add to both the school and church. Little Saints Preschool and the Holy Hearts Perpetual Adoration Chapel were constructed during Monsignor Dan's time. Fr. Jack Evans had the difficult task of following two legends and guiding the parish through the very difficult Covid-19 pandemic.

As your new pastor, now for just one year, I say a sincere thank you to all the pastors, assisting priests, deacons, religious sisters, lay staff and countless committed parish families that have contributed to the history of St. Thomas the Apostle Parish over its rich history. Blessings to all as we begin our second century.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, July 4th

† Phillip Lattanzio

Tuesday, July 5th

Wednesday, July 6th

6:30 am † Conrad F. Floeter 12:10 pm † Milt Mickow

Thursday, July 7th

6:30 am † James Peterson

12:10 pm Father Koutnik (Special Intention)

Friday, July 8th

6:30 am † Friends & Family of Paul &

Alina Cribb

12:10 pm † Iluminada Pascual Felina Ponsaran

Saturday, July 9th

George & Marjorie Huber, 50th Wedding Anniversary (Special Intention)

Sunday, July 10th

7:30 am St. Thomas Women's Club Members

(Living and Deceased)

9:00 am The People of St. Thomas Parish

(Living and Deceased)

10:30 am † Robert Bouley

5:30 pm + Ryan Arliskas



Please visit or call the Parish Center to schedule a Mass Intention.

Adoration Candle Intentions

June 26-July 9

Bob Follmer

Wolf Family (Living & Deceased)

William Fraser

John Fuhler



Please pray for the Deceased

Saverio "Sam" Colletti
Father of Rose (Joe) Scherb
Michael A. Dreher,
Father of Dan Dreher



Readings for the week of July 3, 2022

Sunday: Is 66:10-14c/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 [1]/

Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

Monday: Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7,

8-9/Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-

10//Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/

Mt 10:1-7

Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16/

Mt 10:7-15

<u>Friday</u>: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and 17/

Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt 10:24-33

Next Sunday: Dt 30:10-14/Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34,

36, 37 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [9])/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-

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Parish Calendar

Monday, July 4, 2022 (Independence Day) 9:00 am Mass (Oak St. Church)

No 5:00 pm Confessions

Tuesday, July 5, 2022

6:30 am Mass (Oak St. Church) 12:10 pm Mass (Oak St. Church)

8:00 pm Knights of Columbus Meeting

(Lower Oak)

Wednesday, July 6, 2022

6:30 am Mass (Oak St. Church) 12:10 pm Mass (Oak St. Church)

Thursday, July 7, 2022

6:30 am Mass (Oak St. Church) 12:10 pm Mass (Oak St. Church)

Friday, July 8, 2022

10:00 am Prayer Shawl Ministry (Lower Oak)10:30 am Girls Summer Book Club (Comm. Rm)

Saturday, July 9, 2022

8:00 am Confessions (Oak St. Church)8:15 am Men's Group (Lower Oak)3:00 pm Confessions (Oak St. Church)

Sunday, July 10, 2022

8:30 am Coffee and Donuts (Community Room)

| Celebrant Weekday Masses | | | | |
|--------------------------|----------|-----------------|--|--|
| 7/4 | | 9:00 am | | |
| | | Fr. Jones | | |
| 7/5 | 6:30 am | Fr. Fitzpatrick | | |
| | 12:10 pm | Fr. Hernandez | | |
| 7/6 | 6:30 am | Fr. Hernandez | | |
| | 12:10 pm | Fr. Fitzpatrick | | |
| - /- | 6:30 am | Fr. Fitzpatrick | | |
| 7/7 | 12:10 pm | Fr. Hernandez | | |
| 7/8 | 6:30 am | Fr. Fitzpatrick | | |
| | 12:10 pm | Fr. Jones | | |
| 7/9 | 7:30 am | Fr. Hernandez | | |
| Celebrant Weekend Masses | | | | |
| 7/9 | 4:30 pm | Fr. Fitzpatrick | | |
| 7/10 | 7:30 am | Fr. Fitzpatrick | | |
| | 9:00 am | Fr. Hernandez | | |
| | 10:30 am | Fr. Hernandez | | |
| | 12:00 pm | Fr. Jones | | |
| | 5:30 pm | Fr. Jones | | |

Wedding Banns

Please pray for the following members of our community who will marry soon:



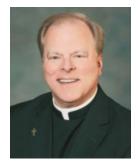
Jacob Bielak and Cassandra Lawson (II)

| WEEKEND MASS MINISTERS—7/9-7/10 | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|--|---|--|--|
| | Lector | EM | Altar Server | | |
| 4:30 pm | Lou Bianchi | Dave Matousek, Gloria Marmol, Scott Smith | Cameron Smith, Ian Varys | | |
| 7:30 am | Mark Przybylski | Mary Genzler, Pam Wyman, Liz Sernett, William Bransley | Liam Schaffer, Michael Davis | | |
| 9:00 am | John Stefani | Jim Nissen, Rhonda Nissen, Lis Tevyaw, John Tinkham | Cade Justen, Kody Kurzeja | | |
| 10:30 am | Seminarian Mike | Jerry Lyons, Valerie Cuchna, Susan Gawart, Frank Ciangi | Michael Robson, Simon Carlino, Carson Telmanik, Spencer Telmanik | | |
| 12:00 pm | Laura Buthod | Deb Sosnowski, Seminarian Mike | | | |
| 5:30 pm | Lily Langos | Annette O'Connell, JoEllen Gregus | | | |



Please join us at the 4:30 pm Mass on July 2nd to celebrate a special Anniversary Mass with Bishop Malloy. A cookie reception will follow in the Community Room. Monsignor Hermes and Father Geoff Wirth are planning on being here to help us celebrate!





Good People of St. Thomas,

Please accept my deepest congratulations on the celebration of your 100th year of spreading the gospel to Crystal Lake, McHenry County and the world! Unfortunately I am unable to attend the celebrations, but be assured of my continued prayers.

In Christ, Rev. John R. Evans, former pastor

| | Weekly Collections |
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| Weekly Mass Offering - Oak St. 6/20 | \$19,128.00 |
| Online Offering - Oak St. 6/20 | \$17,745.44 |



July 3

Coffee & Donuts in the Community Room after morning Masses! Please join us!



Be Not Afraid: How Jesus Sees Worry, Anxiety, and Fear

Jesus gives us some commands that seem impossible, especially in today's world: "Why are you afraid... Do not worry about your life." Fortunately, Jesus doesn't just give us these commands, simply tell us good luck, and send us on our way. Through His words, His life, and His Apostles, we are given the blueprints on how to live a life without constant pain of worry, anxiety, or fear. Join Seminarian Mike Wojnarowski on Tuesday, July 12th at 7pm at the Oak St. Church to dive into how Jesus wants us to look at these sources of stress on our life.



Parish Holy Hour

Sunday, July 17, 2022

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm - Oak St. Church

A Holy Hour is the devotional tradition of spending an hour in Eucharistic Adoration in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. Join us on the 17th!

St. Thomas the Apostle

St. Thomas was born a Jew and was called to be one of the twelve Apostles. His birth and death dates are unknown, but his feast day is celebrated July 3. He lived before the formal establishment of the Catholic Church but is recognized as the patron saint of architects.

He was a dedicated but impetuous follower of Christ. When Jesus said He was returning to Judea to visit His sick friend Lazarus, Thomas immediately exhorted the other Apostles to accompany Him on the trip which involved certain danger and possible death because of the mounting hostility of the authorities.

At the Last Supper, when Christ told His disciples that He was going to prepare a place for them to which they also might come because they knew both the place and the way, Thomas pleaded that they did not understand and received the beautiful assurance that Christ is the Way, the Truth, and the Life.

St. Thomas is best known for his role in verifying the Resurrection of his Master. Thomas' unwillingness to believe that the other Apostles had seen their risen Lord on the first Easter Sunday earned him the title of "doubting Thomas."

Eight days later, on Christ's second apparition, Thomas was gently rebuked for his skepticism and furnished with the evidence he had demanded - seeing in Christ's hands the point of the nails. Thomas even put his fingers in the nail holes and his hand into Christ's side. After verifying the wounds were true, St. Thomas became convinced of the reality of the Resurrection and exclaimed, "My Lord and My God," thus making a public Profession of Faith in the Divinity of Jesus.



Gran Kermes (Food Festival)!

Don't miss Gran Kermes! A festival with fabulous Mexican food, entertainment for the kids, live music and raffle opportunities! It is a wonderful way to spend a summer day.

Where: Little Christopher field on Lake Street

When: Sunday, July 31st—Mass 10am

Food and Festival following Mass until 5pm



July 4th Parish Center is Closed No 5:00 pm Confessions



For many in the Saint Thomas parish community, LOTW has made a difference and been a lifeline to connect and reconnect to our faith. It has brought us together as a community of faith and as friends as we celebrate and renew God's love for us. We are looking to rekindle these experiences with a special Mass this summer.

Even if you have never attended a LOTW retreat, please join us for this Mass. Reception following.

When: Tuesday, July 19th at 7—9PM

Where: Oak Street Church / Terra Cotta Ave

Ministerio Hispano

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Nuevo Horario de Misas

Martes 6:00 am Miércoles 6:00 am Jueves 7:30 pm Viernes 7:30 pm

Sábado 5:00 pm y 7:00 pm Domingo 9:30 am y 11:30 am

La Capilla de Adoración al Santísimo Está abierta de Lunes a Viernes de 6:30am a 9pm, En la Iglesia de la Oak y 176. "Ven y Adora, Él espera por ti"

Si necesitas confesarte, por favor llega, 30 min. Antes de misa de 7pm sábados. 30 min. Antes de misa de 9:30am domingos 30 min. Antes de misa de 11:30am domingos O llamar a la Oficina Parroquial para hacer una cita. Tel. 815 356 0860

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Información para los Bautismos:

Clase Pre-Bautismal: Primer Domingo de mes a las 3:00pm

Calendario de clases Pre-bautismales.
Julio 3, Agosto 7, Septiembre 4,
Octubre 2, Noviembre 6, Diciembre 4
Bautismos: Segundo sábado de Mes a las
10:00am. Ilamar a la oficina parroquial para registrarte y cumplir con los requisitos.

Calendario de Fechas para Bautismos Julio 9, Agosto 13, Septiembre 10, Octubre 8, Noviembre 12, Diciembre 10



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Atención al Público: Martes a Jueves de 9:00am a

4:00pm

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Oficina del Ministerio Hispano, Atención al Público:

Irene Garcia: Lunes a Viernes 9:00am a 5:00pm

Si está sufriendo o se siente afligido por un aborto, sepa que la ayuda y esperanza están disponibles. La misericordia y el amor de Jesucristo puede traerle sanación. La Diócesis de Peoria está organizando un retiro de Rachel's Vineyard, en español, del 5 al 7 de agosto de 2022. Para obtener más información, comuníquese con Lourdes Serrano al (309) 210-2519 o

www.rvrpeoria@gmail.com. Vea el folleto adjuntado.



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Youth Ministry

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July 8-10 Steubenville High School Age Youth Conference

Wed., July 13 HS UnPlugged / 6:30-8 / Oak Street

Wed., July 20 Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton (St. E's) / Bonfire, Food,

Smores, Music, Frisbee, Golf / 6-9pm / Grades 6-12

Sun., July 24 Water Wars / 1:30-3:30 / Little Christopher's / Grades 6-12

Wed., July 27 The Freeze Trip / 6:30-8 / Grades 6-12

Meet behind Little Christophers

Wed., Aug 3 Bonfire / 6:30-8 / Oak Street / Grades 6-12

Wed., Aug 10 Adoration evening at Saint E's / 6:30-8:30 PM / Grades 6-12

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